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FIRST JAPANESE WOMAN to fly as a crew member of an international airline is Miss Yoko Endo, 24, of Tokyo, who is stewardess with the Northwest Airlines. Wearing a powder-blue flight uniform, she poses in front of the Dai Ichi building, former home of SCAP headquarters. — Northwest Airlines Photo

'typifies emancipation'

Miss Yoko Endo of Tokyo typifies the emancipation of Japan's women during, and as a result of, the American occupation of that country.

As a stewardess on Northwest Airlines' flights between Tokyo and Pusan, she's gained another distinction. Miss Endo is the first Japanese woman to fly as a crew member on an international airline.

Proud of the precedent she's [illegible], the 24-year-old graduate [illegible] Nippon Women's University [illegible] become a model stewardess [illegible] few months she's been [illegible] Northwest. Her job was [illegible] this past spring when Northwest, whose planes fly from [illegible] to Tokyo then continue on [illegible] Okinawa, Manila, Taipei, Hong Kong and Pusan, decided to hire [illegible] and stewardesses from [illegible] countries over which they fly [illegible] Far East. Reason for the [illegible] from all-American crews [illegible] cabin attendants was [illegible] Orient travelers, many [illegible] first riders, feel more at [illegible] flights staffed by their [illegible] while tourists appre[illegible] opportunity to obtain [illegible] advance information on the areas they plan on visiting.

From hundreds of applicants in Hong Kong, Manila and Tokyo, the airline's personnel manager made his selections. Among them was Yoko.

She currently makes two round [illegible]

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Finding Means Of Solving Japan-Canada Immigration Problem Mayhew's Concern

VANCOUVER, B. C. — One of the main concerns of Canada's newly-appointed Ambassador to Japan, Robert Mayhew, is to find a means satisfactory to both Canada and Japan of resettling in Canada those persons who formerly resided in Canada who now wish to return to the country of their birth, it was reported in the Christian Science Monitor.

These persons include those who went to Japan under the wartime repatriation scheme and Canadian-born Japanese who were stranded in Japan when war broke out.

"The movement", the article continued, "would have to be spread over several years and, if the annual quota of Japanese is no greater than that now extended to Chinese origin, it would take decades for the proposed immigration to take place".

Mayhew believes that to admit more than a few hundred annually would perhaps stir considerable opposition from various labor, industrial, and political groups. He intends to try to work out a plan that will be mutually acceptable.

He also wants to avoid a repetition of the pre-war concentration of Japanese population in a small section of Canada's West Coast where over 22,000 of the 23,000 total JC population were concentrated in B. C. and which was largely responsible for the action of the Canadian Government in evacuating Japanese residents from the coastal areas.

The number quoted by the Monitor of the persons in Japan wishing to return to Canada as soon as possible was 10,000. Last year, the National JCCA, although only referring specifically to persons in Japan who are relatives or close friends of Japanese Canadians, who wish to enter Canada, considered [illegible] of that category, the number of persons wishing to enter would not greatly exceed 1,500.

The Monitor stated that Mayhew will also busy himself with the problem of restoring Japanese-Canadian trade. Japan wants to sell more in Canada and is unhappy over the present uneven balance between the two countries. Last year about $75,000,000 worth of Canadian goods were sold to Japan, which returned merchandise valued at less than $16,000,000.

Alta. JCCA to Expand Third Annual Oratorical Contest, Also Record Speeches, Work Underway

LETHBRIDGE — Nisei High [illegible] in Alberta will [illegible] for the coveted [illegible] [illegible] Trophy at the [illegible] [illegible] Third [illegible] Oratorical [illegible] [illegible] 15 in the Capitol [illegible] [illegible] Alberta JC[illegible] [illegible] Cultural [illegible] this plan [illegible] at the Fifth Council Meeting held at the Lethbridge YMCA on January 18. "Preparatory work is now underway for the popular oratorical meet so heartily approved by JCCA members and friends in Alberta. The local chapters have approved the holding of local chapter eliminations, and other centres such as Calgary, Brooks and Vauxhall will be contacted in an effort to make this the biggest Oratorical Contest yet held."

"To add something new to the contest, arrangements have been made to record all the speeches," he added.

Although the Contest is to take place on March 15, the names of the representative candidates must be turned into the Oratorical Contest Committee by March 1.

Twice winner and present holder of the "Tanaka" Challenge Trophy is [illegible] Endo, a graduate of Taber High School, and at present a first year Arts student at the University of British Columbia. Much interest is held as to Miss Endo's successor, and a large turnout is again expected.

Nisei Musician Plays At Eisenhower Inaugural, Won Conga Drum Spot With Hampton in Audition

WASHINGTON, [illegible] — A highlight in the musical life of an American Nisei conga drummer-vocalist with the Lionel Hampton band was reached on Jan. 2[illegible] when he played at President Eisenhower's Inaugural Ball in Washington. This [illegible] second time that [illegible] had played at an [illegible] [illegible] performed at President Truman's ball in 1949.

Paul Togawa, 2[illegible], of Los Angeles, is [illegible] drum player and [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Hampton [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] with the [illegible]

"He's [illegible]," Hampton [illegible] the young Nisei musician.

After making a hit with a trio at the Nisei Week Talent Show in Los Angeles in 1950, Togawa formed his own 10-piece band which became popular, playing [illegible] at major Nisei functions in Southern California but at Spanish, Jewish and other nationality group affairs.

Hampton, the famous Negro [illegible]-graph-[illegible]-singer, has [illegible] interest in using [illegible] musicians. Canadian Nisei [illegible] remember his several appearances in Toronto and Montreal [illegible] Fan Higaki, and [illegible] trombonist Butch Watanabe of Montreal and vocalist [illegible] of Toronto.

Hope Nisei Drowns When Automobile Plunges Off Icy Highway, Four Others Die in Mishap

HOPE, B. C. — A Japanese Canadian resident of the Hope district was among five men who drowned early on Jan. 23 when the automobile in which they were riding plummeted off the Trans-Canada Highway into the lake of the Woods, four miles north of Hope, during a driving rain and snowstorm.

Mas Mukaida leaped clear of the wreck when the car plunged down a 30-foot bank and into the lake, but went under while trying to swim ashore.

Matthew Offer, the driver and only survivor, stated that he had swerved his car to miss a rock-slide that had tumbled across the highway near a sharp curve. Torrential rains in the area had loosened rocks and mud on the slopes that line the highway. The car in which Mukaida was riding had been the first to travel the route following the landslide.

Mukaida was on his way to work at the Pacific Nickel Mine at Choate midway between Hope and Yale. He was a member of Local 18[illegible], Carpenters and Joiners Union and commuted daily to the mine from his home.

The bodies and the car were recovered two and a half hours after the accident in 20 feet of water. Hope is 100 miles east of Vancouver.

Kamloops Nisei Wins U.S. College Honors

KAMLOOPS, B. C. — Turning in a scholastic record of A's and B's for the fall quarter, Barney Kiyoshi Sugiyama of Kamloops, B. C., was listed in the honor roll at Tri-State College in Angola, Indiana.

The Nisei student is specializing in chemical engineering. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tsunekichi Sugiyama of Kamloops.

Edward Ide Heads '53 Toronto JCCA

TORONTO — Elected to head the Toronto JCCA, the largest local chapter in Canada, for 1953 at a general meeting on Jan. 25 at the Canadian Legion Hall was Edward Ide who has long been associated with the organization. He succeeds Ken Hori.

Following reports by Miss Jackie Iguchi, secretary, and Hideo Hiraki, treasurer, the audience of about 200 persons was entertained by several Nisei artists.

Feature of the programme was David Toguri who performed a sparkling dance entitled "Modern Jazz". Others appearing were Eiko Iwashita, Frank Yamada, Eddie Ide, Toyo Takata, and a French Canadian songstress, Ghislaine.

DID MUCH FOR JAPANESE AMERICANS

Truman--Champion of Human Rights

By MIKE MASAOKA

Washington, D. C.

As former president Harry Truman moved out of the White House on Jan. 20 and Gen. Eisenhower moved in, it seems only fitting and proper that high tribute should be paid to the former Chief Executive.

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Though he vetoed two major bills, the Walter Resolution in 1950 which would have extended naturalization privileges to the Issei and the Walter-McCarran Act in 1952 which features immigration and naturalization opportunities for Japanese) supported by the JACL and highly controversial though his administration may have been, there is no question insofar as the JACL and the Japanese American community in the United States are concerned that no president in the history of the republic has contributed more to our general welfare than Harry S. Truman.

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Some may try to explain that he was simply a victim of good circumstances but those who know can recall, off-hand and without delving into the records, many instances where he demonstrated a friendly concern and personal helpfulness during the eight years of his administration that show his vital interest in our welfare as a minority group struggling for equality of recognition and treatment.

Late in 1945, in spite of pressure from the Pacific slope, he lifted the exclusion orders and permitted the Issei and the Nisei to return to our former homes and associations on the west coast from which we had been removed five years earlier. He thus brought to a close the most humiliating chapter in our history as persons of Japanese ancestry.

Men of the 442nd Regimental Combat Team will never forget that it was President Truman who stood out in the rain in the Ellipse of the White House that July afternoon in 1946 to honor and welcome them home from battles in Italy and France. This is believed to be the first and only time that a unit smaller than a division was personally reviewed by the President for its World War services.

And to memorialize Pfc. Sadao Munemori, only Nisei winner of the Congressional Medal of Honor, the President named a military transport in his honor. This is the first American vessel to be given a Japanese American name.

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In the closing days of the 79th Congress he sent personal letters to the chairmen of the House and Senate Judiciary Committees urging immediate and favorable consideration of an evacuation claims bill to compensate evacuees for some of their property losses. This was the first time in history that a president sent up a message to Congress specifically calling for remedial legislation for the benefit of persons of Japanese ancestry.

His civil rights message to the 80th Congress urged enactment for statehood for Hawaii, Issei naturalization, and evacuation claims. He is the first president to mention the contributions of the Issei and the Nisei in a formal message to a joint session of the Congress.

Two years ago, he appointed James Mitsumori of Los Angeles as the first Nisei assistant United States attorney.

Last year, he nominated Robert Murakami of Honolulu to the Federal bench, the first Nisei so honored. When the Senate failed to act on the nomination, he gave Murakami an interim appointment.

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From the legislative point of view, he has signed almost a thousand public and private bills for the benefit of Japanese ancestry, far more than all other presidents combined.

President Truman is also the only president to recognize the existence and worthiness of non-political Nisei organizations. He did this by sending official greetings to the biennial National JACL Convention in Denver in 1946, in Salt Lake City in 1948, in Chicago in 1950, and in San Francisco in 1952. These greetings were not the usual impersonal and routine messages sent out to conventions; they were meaningful in terms of the organization. He showed a knowledge and appreciation of the JACL and its problems as all who remember them know.

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Because he himself was so friendly to persons of Japanese ancestry, this spirit extended to members of his cabinet and throughout the government. For the first time really access to executive agencies and departments was had by Nisei.

Two cabinet officers, Secretary of the Interior Oscar Chapman, and Secretary of State Dean Acheson, were honored by the JACL in national conventions held in Chicago and in San Francisco, respectively, for their distinguished contributions to persons of Japanese ancestry.

Attorney General J. Howard McGrath and Solicitor General Philip Perlman signed the government brief before the United States Supreme Court endorsing JACL's opinion that the wartime California law prohibiting alien Japanese from engaging in commercial fishing was unconstitutional. This was the first and only time that the United States government has intervened in our behalf in a court case and only the second time in history that the Attorney General and Solicitor General had joined in such a brief on civil rights.

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So, we pay tribute to Harry S. Truman as he leaves the White House as one who believed in helping his fellowmen enjoy more of the American way. Though a practical politician, he gave support to our little minority though we could not reward him with either or both votes or campaign contributions. He was, and is, a real champion of human rights.

— from Pacific Citizen

FIRST JAPANESE STEWARDESS

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trip flights each week between Tokyo and Korea. Her work [illegible] begins at 6 a.m. when she reports to the airline's staff house where she joins other crew members for the limousine ride to [illegible]

Flying time to Pusan is [illegible] under four hours [illegible] spends an hour [illegible]

[illegible] is readied for the return trip to Tokyo.

Back in Japan by late afternoon, Yoko says "sayonara" to the departing passengers [illegible]

[illegible] personnel regulations permit crew members to fly just 80 hours a month.

Requirements for stewardesses are high. Applicants must be 21 but not over 26 years old. They must be between five feet two inches and five feet six inches tall, have at least two years of college and the ability to speak English fluently plus good health and a pleasing personality.

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Femme Fare

By CINDERELLA

"Perhaps It's I That's Peculiar!"

"What I don't like about the average Nisei man" is, I have been warned, a topic to be aired discreetly in the company of women only. In short, I am now in danger of losing all my men friends, and of being catalogued as "independent" and "peculiar".

I am not a clinging vine, for I believe that intelligent men are not dazzled by the studied artlessness of the species with the honeyed tongue and the wonder-filled eyes. Nor am I the strong, independent type, for I can see nothing very happy or satisfying about wearing the proverbial pants in any man's family. I merely want to be proud of my Nisei man.

BUT THE AVERAGE NISEI MAN IS MOST PECULIAR

He is not overly satisfied with his job. He would like to do better but pin him down to what he considers "better" and he is delightfully vague. I like my man to be definite and to know where and what he is headed for.

His education generally stops when he begins bringing home the pay cheque. His hobbies are snooker, poker, feminology, movies and an occasional baseball game. He considers himself widely read when he tackles Esquire, Reader's Digest, Life and the Weekend, and quite intelligent when he does not pass up Time Magazine or Newsweek. His left eyebrow lifts obliquely when he hears of some ambitious guy being interested more than slightly in "isms" or "ologies", and wild horses will not drag him to a cultural event such as a good play or a symphony. He quite frankly and proudly boasts that "highbrow stuff just ain't in his line."

He is afraid to be different, a state which seemingly arises from a deep-seated inferiority. He hates to take the initiative, especially in any community endeavour. He has a glib way of evading the issue, but should a "petticoat executive" result, he will not admit that it is all of his own making. I'd much prefer to keep to skirts, if Average Joe Nisei would wear the pants!

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He still does not find it easy to accept women on the same footing with himself. His reaction is not as "catty" as that of women who tag a girl's success in a man's realm as "sublimation for hidden frustrations", but he is afraid. Or why is he so inconsistent? He gallantly declares he admires a gal with some brains (not "brains" but "some brains"), and is even brave enough to go so far as to say that he is in search of an intelligent wife, but he usually ends up with a soft ball of femininity of the clinging vine variety.

He hasn't much confidence in his own judgment and will take the path of least resistance rather than stir up a controversial or uncomfortable issue. He's quite content to let others shoulder the responsibilities of making his decisions for him but is among the first to find fault with the outcome. He often knows he's in a rut, and knows, too, what he wants to do about it, but will hide himself behind "I'm too old for that kind of stuff". But just wait until some braver male or female is open-minded and confident enough to adventure into new experience, and he's the first to chuckle amusedly, "At his (or her) age!" and shake his head.

He isn't as immaculate as he could be. He demands meticulous grooming from the women, but he himself, often as not, arrives with a four-o'clock shadow, scuffed shoes, last night's white shirt, and not so-clean finger nails, and of course, that chewing gum! A man doesn't have to be a killer-diller, but how I love that clean, glowing, healthy look!

He's much too quick to discredit the Nisei gal's feminine attributes. He's often heard to comment with a knowing air, "Nisei girls? Nice enough . . . but no sex appeal!" He measures the Nisei girl against the Monroe chassis, ignoring a few pertinent details which would make La Monroe not so enticing in a gay, Japanese kimono and obi. And I have yet to find out what gives Average Joe Nisei the prerogative to expect a composite of Marilyn Monroe, Gail Russell and Sylvana Mangano when he himself is a far cry from a Gregory Peck or a James Mason. All I ask is that we be taken for what we are—Nisei girls—with a certain birthright and a certain kind of heritage which has resulted in a unique personality all our own.

He thinks of the Nisei girl first as a Nisei girl and only second [illegible] to realizing that she is a woman. O[illegible] his easy naturalness, her unique blending of frankness and [illegible] In fact he accepts all the [illegible] and yet when it comes to the [illegible] whether she be young [illegible] the Nisei gal out on a [illegible] these little attentions for [illegible] if a Nisei gal were to rebel [illegible] his head and says rather [illegible] These little things, Joe Nisei [illegible] don't know [illegible]

[illegible] Nisei men? All men, Nisei and otherwise, are [illegible] perhaps I expect too much [illegible] that they're a breed of [illegible] "JUST AVERAGE".

馬喰一代（ばくろういちだい）（五十七）

中山正男

去年も冷害ではほとんどとれなかった。今年もそれと同じ天候で、農民たちをハラハラさせていた。なんでもこの氣候は、千島寒流と樺太寒流との接觸によって生ずるものらしい。一度その交流寒波が風をおこして東北部北海道をおそうと、山の立木は葉をまき畑の作物は穂をたらして生色を失なうという狀態だった。

どの農家も二年三年とつゞいた冷害凶作にすっかりしおれきっていた。

その町にも欠食兒童ができたり、失業救濟の土木事業がおこされ、貧民には救濟米が施與されていた。そこここに父米太郎が、永い病氣の床をのべているのだ。大平はまるでトンネルのような暗い町を、わが家へはいっていった。

「[illegible]」

それでも病氣の米太郎は、大平の顔をみて元氣をとりもどし、

「なーに、ミレフさえ賣れたら、お前の學費だって、缺かさねえように送ってやるのだが」

と、あいかわらずの強がりをいった。だが、そのあとで

『歳をとると、いくじがなくなるものだ。これっぽっちの病氣で、お前を呼びつけるなんて――』

この四十五の米太郎でさえながい、[illegible]

のぞいた大平の眼には、蝋のように[illegible]なったビンの白さがました髭のはえた父が映った。俤が五、六年の間に、こんなにも變るものかと思われるほど老けこんでいた。それは病氣ばかりでなく、こゝ十年間の勤苦の連續にさいなまれてきたからだ。家には三人目の母がきていた。その母の名はキヨといった。（この母は米太郎の親友鳥取の太郎の連添いだったが、太郎がバッバ馬喰のうらみをかって、鐵砲にうたれて死ぬとき、あと始末をたのまれた米太郎が、女房ぐるみ引受けてしまったのだ）そのキヨがまた二、三年前からリョウマチをやんで、二、三日置きはよそから親力をかりない、賄い障子を傳って用を足しているしまつだった。

人事消息

◎婚約

▲ステヴストンの岸田治氏長男洋一君と水口傳吉氏次女節子さんは土井友明氏夫妻の世話で一月十八日水口氏宅で婚約した

▲レスブリッジの建部チエ夫人四男建次君とピクチュアビュットの山之内啓二氏夫妻長女クミ子さんは枝村留五郎氏青木定義氏兩夫妻の世話で一月十八日、ロータスインに於て婚約式を擧げた

■出生

▲晩香坡の大橋武夫氏夫人亥子さんは十二月六日市病院に於て女兒を出産、ジョーイ[illegible]と命名。

▲グ[illegible]の吉岡ドクター夫人はグランドフォークス病院で女兒を出産、パトリシャ・ドーン・久子と命名

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日本籍だけのもの
大使館で住所氏名報告方希望

オタワの日本國大使館ではカナダに在住する日本人にして日本だけに籍を有する者に對し大使館まで氏名ど住所を報告方を要請している。

▲二世にして日本にも戸籍を登錄してあるもの
▲歸化人にして日本の籍をまだ離脱していないもの

などの所謂二重國籍となつている者は右の必要はなく

日本生れでまだ歸化をして居らず國籍は日本だけとなつている者

だけが右の報告をすればよいのである。大使館のアドレスは次の通り。

EMBASSY OF JAPAN
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壽會の役員決定

トロントの壽會の役員は次の如く決定した。

△會長花月榮吉△副會長鵜本正信 森助五郎△議長信夫三郎△會計野田保一郎△幹事門永友次郎 田中時一

尚本年から會費五十仙を集めることになつたので未納者は幹事まで届けるよう希望されて居り、二月一日(日)には大中國樓で三尾村協會幹部と壽會總會に盡力された婦人方を招いて慰勞會を開催する。

スローカン市協新役員決定

【スローカン・シティー發】一月十八日婦人會ホールに於てスローカン市協の定期總會が開かれ諸報告と協議の後新役員を次の如く決定した。

△會長西村忠男△副會長江頭富夫△幹事(B)今田貢(英)松村曉△會計野瀬太三郎△議長鮫島武次△副議長西村正男△監査役森下チイ司、藤林時太郎、下田幸雄△評議員 及川毅、田上フランク、木下齊智、久保田繁雄 林田富雄

ケント市協幹部

オ州ケント市協の本年度幹部は次の通り選定された

△會長茅原ムリー△副會長藤井アキ△記錄書記山本フローレンス△通信書記關メイ△會計西山ケン△プログラム係長大久保フランク△ハウス係長藤井セツ△厚生係長馬場パツイ、西山サム

なおケント市協では來る三月七日夜八時からワイ・エム會館で「二世合同で芝居」餘興を擧行する

ケローナ日本語學校再開

【ケローナ發】懸案中であったケローナ日本語學校再開は廣く維持會員を募つた結果多數の賛成を得て當局の認可も得一月十七日發會式を擧げた。寺井忠雄氏が司會し

△挨拶、富江捨次郎△經過報告、田口佐太郎△會計報告、稗村武△訓話、市協代表 生田先生△祝辭、市協代表 古閑スエ、浦和會代表 内藤幸太郎、合同教會代表 師田益以、佛教會代表 山崗岩次郎、有志代表 玉城源三郎などがあつた。維持會役員は次の通り

△會長富江捨次郎△幹事田口佐太郎△補佐外園愛次△會計稗村武△議長寺井忠雄△地方役員、一區森繁 二區畑中實 三區寺村政市 四區野淵一枝 六區外園愛次 七區上山英男、鈴木等、山田秀男 八區玉置勝 エストバンク田端芳夫 ウインフィルド寺村利右エ門

河野四段歸る
神野師範大喜び

【ハミルトン發】在日本の河野信義氏(ス村出身)は今回歸加することになり、二月中旬トロント着の豫定である 河野氏はス村當時の少年時代から柔道に志し、戰時中はインターメント・キャンプで熱心に修業、戰後日本に行き熊本柔道界の常勝者木村政彥七段の門下をくぐり、京都で修練、昨年四段に昇進、更に五段をめざして精進されていたもので同氏がカナダに歸ることはカナダ柔道界に大きな活を入れることになろう。

神野専氏談――河野四段がトロントに來てくれるというニユースはかねてから聞いていたが、いよいよ來ることになりましたか。全く得がたい柔道教師として迎えたい。

ス村柔道場
七十餘名入門して開設

【ステブストン發】一月二十日夜當佛教會館に於てスチヴストン柔道々場開館式が行われた。土井氏が挨拶して道場開設の趣意に賛同し後援してくれた人々に感謝を表明し、七十餘名の青少年の入門式について投げの型、固めの型(倉本、酒井)、有段者の亂取、道場員の稽古初めが行われた。道場の役員は次の諸氏

△主任 土井、酒井△副主任 倉本、川崎△會計川崎、濱西△監査役本海、水口、上山

向井田氏ホープで溺死

【ホープ發】當地方に居住している向井田マス氏は去る二十三日午前七時頃、四名の同僚大工とともに自動車アクシデントのため溺死した。仕事先コーラーのパシフィック・ニッケル鑛山に向け朝仕事に行く途中、六名が乘つていたカーが、折からの大吹雨で崖崩れがあり、これを避けようとしたが、氷で滑る道路から七十呎の崖を落ちてホープ北方四マイルの湖中に入つた。運轉手は救かつたが、向井田マス氏はカーから出るには出て岸に泳ぎ着かうとしたが力つきて溺死、他の四名の同僚も溺死した慘事があつた。

モントリオル俳句會生る

【モントリオル發】今回當市に三宅春江、宮崎紅一路、甲山小百合、角如竹、古屋雨工の諸氏が發起人となり、モントリオル俳句會を設立した。その趣旨は客觀寫生俳句、主觀俳句、何々派といわずに、お互に手をとりあつて俳句精進に努力したい方針である

晩香坡生長の家

晩香坡市生長の家誌友會では二月八日と十五日の二回東ヘスチングス街八二八に於て午後二時から本部の谷口教組及德久講師の講演を錄音したものを一般に公開する

杉山清君好成績

キャムルースの杉山常吉氏息清君は米國インディアナ州アンゴラのトライ・ステート大學で化學科專攻中であるが學業成績抜群者の列に加えられたと晩市サン紙は報じている

下村牧師の講演
二月一日から連續的に

トロントの下村一郎牧師は來る二月一日より市内ナシヨンホールに於て連續大講演會を行うが、最初は一日午後七時半から『原子彈に惱む世界の將來はどうなるか、平和か破壞か』の題下で說教する。一般を歡迎する由。下村牧師は終戰直後ワシントンの大學院を卒わてラチーラ大學に學び專ら救靈界に活躍している。

龜岡書籍取次部 大衆文庫を開始

トロントの龜岡書籍取次部では二月一日より大衆文庫(貸本)を開始することになり、年極めの會員募集中。これはベスト・セラー・ライブラリーともいうべきもの好評書籍又は會員希望のブックを注文、文庫をつくり月三冊、年三十六冊を貸すことになつている。會費一ヶ年七弗(廣告參照)

●トロント佛教會祥月法要

二月一日午後二時からリーダーヨンホール四號室で勤修される

●寄附感謝 元ハモンド語學校維持會より百五十弗の寄附を頂きましたことを感謝致します オンタリオ州市協

生長の家錄音講演

合掌 昨年末日本より生長の家本部講師(醫學博士)德久克已先生が御出で下さる由を承つた晩市誌友會では大喜びで皆樣と倶に眞理の御話を聽講させて頂きませうと準備万端整へて待つていましたが、一度カナダへ入國すれば中部より西南北各地に散任する誌友の待ちかねて居られるアメリカへ再入國の許可が得られぬとかで當方では出來得る限りの交渉は致しましたが許されず中止せねばならぬ事になりまして皆々の皆樣方に非常に御迷惑を相かけましたことは誠に申譯なきことと幹部一同心中深く御詫び申上げて居りましたが、此の度幸にも昨年シヤトルに於ける德久先生の講演のレコードに加ふるに教組谷口雅春先生の御講演の數々、笑ひの内に知らず知らず眞理を御說き下さる先生方の御話そのままの錄音をアメリカの講師松田先生の代理としてスポーケンより島羽氏御父子が御携帶持參して下さつて居りますことは誠に有がたい事で御座います。就きましては此有がたい御法話を一人でも多く一般同胞の方々に是非聽いて頂き度く思はれます故來る二月八日と二月十五日の二回午後二時より東ヘスチングス街八二八に於て錄音講演會を催しますから御多忙中甚恐入りますれども何卒御知り合の方々を御誘ひ合せの上御聽講下さいます樣御願ひ申上げます。有がたう御座います 合掌

晩香坡市 生長の家 誌友會

各位

●讀書家に大福音●

大衆文庫(貸本)開始(年極めの會員募集)

一ヶ年僅か七弗で卅六冊の書籍を讀める大衆文庫を御利用下さい

多數讀書家の要請に依り一ヶ年前金拂いの會員組織にて貸本を開始することになりました。所謂「商賣にする」營業ではありますが當取次部の一部門として新たにトロント市内の人々に丈けに貸出しを致す二月一日から開始することになりました。讀書家諸氏の御協力を切望致します。

▲書籍は戰後の新刊改版(若干良い舊版書もあり)約一百種類の外に目下數十種を注文中。今後、會員は増加と共に希望書籍を毎月加へ常に新刊書を讀んで頂く考で盡しています。

特典＝創始記念として二月末までに御申込みの方に限り書籍一部無代進呈。

△入會費二弗(但し退會と共に返金します)

會費一ヶ年七弗＝一ヶ月三冊宛一ヶ年卅六冊

(希望に依り一ヶ月二冊一ヶ年廿四冊でもよい)

▲取次部は營業の大擴張(これまでの營業を専業として)を計畫中です。一層の御支援を御願い致します。

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龜岡書籍取次部

日本便り

皇太子のカナダ訪問（五）

南北老人

◇ピタ〳〵しているのは宮中のお役人だという。大切の大切のプリンスが、前身もハッキリしない新興成金の娘、乃至はカフェ、待合の類の娘のようなものと、自由戀愛でもされたら大變だというんなそうだ。その對策として「銓選」された十二名かの學友というグループを非公式に組織させて、鐵條網の代用として居るらしい。――昨今のプリンスは、一週間の半分は常盤松御殿で過ごされるが、殘りは學習院大學の寄宿舎に寝泊りされて居る。そこでは、上記の學生たちが寝起きを共にし教室へ行くにも、運動場へ出るにも、附き纏うという陣形を採り、若しも戀愛の徴候でも見出したら、すぐさま東宮太夫へ報告することになつて居るげナ。

◇そんな風で、學友のグループの防衛体勢は頗る堅く、ジャジャ馬タイプの娘たちでも、ちよつと近寄れんと嘆息して居るという。けれども張り廻らした鐵條網でも、時には破れ穴があるさいうもの、機敏にチャンスをつかまえて――例えば教室でプリンスの直ぐ側に座席を取るという工夫をこらして、授業時間中ひそやかな會話を取りかわしたなどというのもある。プリンスだつて、女性にマルで興味がないというんなら、人間失格ということになり兼ねない。事實また、學友グループの遠慮勝ちの内明け話によるも、プリンスは、相當の性教育を誰からか、又は何かから受けて居られるというし、人間失格の心配はどうも御無用のようなんだ。他方同級の女性群の總評によるも、若いプリンスは、仲々おシャレで、七三に分けた頭髪には、ポマードをピンに半分ほどもドッさりつけて、奇麗にクシ目を入れて御座る。フェミニストの資格も備えられて、テニスコートでは、女の子の受け損じた球を親切に拾つて下さる、圖書館では女の子の爲めに、わざ〳〵カードを探し出して下さる、サイン帳を突きつけてもイヤな顔をなさらん……などというんだから、一ど通り、レデー第一の禮儀もわきまえて居られるんだろう。

◇殿下は、此の十二月二十三日で滿十九歳、身長五フィート四インチ、体重百十六ポンド、上品な顔形で、身だしなみがよい。快活で、眞ッ直ぐで、謂わば明朗だ。だから女の兒に評判がよい。常盤松御殿から學習院まで、自動車で通われる途中、イッも路傍でウインクを希望している娘なんかもあるという。中にも伏見章子（アキコ）と申すレデー、世が世ならば、大勲位、元帥海軍大將伏見宮博恭王の御孫という肩書のつく章子女王皇太子の同級として、プリンスと仲がよいとか、結婚するんだとか、兎角のウワサがうるさい。アキコ嬢は一九三四年二月十二日生れで、日本流にいうと、殿下よりも一つだけ年が少いだが、嚴密にいうと、たつた五十日若いだけでプリンスと同年と書いて居る新聞のあるのも、大した間違いとは言えない。

◇傳える所によると上品な美人のアヤ子嬢には、緣談が降るほどもある。けれども一々「ノー」で追つ拂つて居るらしい。そこで是れは、未來の皇后を夢見て居るんだと又もや噂が飛ぶ。現にお姉さんの光子嬢は、婚約のあつたのをイトも手輕に蹴飛ばして、尾崎行雄の孫と結婚をしてしまつた、あれを手本にしたいんだろうなどともいう。だが肝腎のプリンスの方はドンな氣持ちか顔面神經をピクともさせないので監視隊の學友だらも、とんと見當がつかんらしい。他方、東宮太夫の野村という仁は、「同年又は年上の女子と結婚されることは絶對に御座らん」と頑張つて居るんなそうだが、ナーニ、明治天皇の皇后だつて、三つも年上であつた。

呼寄せ援助

三尾村協會で續行

三尾村カナダ連絡協會オンタリオ支部では一月廿五日大陸時報ホールで定期總會を開催して諸報告と協議を行つたがマッシルーム農園就働者呼寄せの仕事は更に續けることに決定し役員は次の如く再選した。

△會長野田保一郎△副會長西庄一△幹事西村丈△會計森下梅藏△監査役小山登森下健△議長中路清一郎△委員磯崎常次郎　中津嘉一　吉田米　橋本義一　酒井安雄　中田竹次郎　橋本直次郎（他にポートクレジットのマッシルーム農園就働者から二名を擧げる）

總會終了後大中國樓で親睦會を開催、中路氏が司會、野田會長の挨拶、花月、梅月、岩崎三氏が祝辭を述べた。

活發な討議行わる

ト市々協一世部總會の可決事項

トロント市協一世部の總會は既報通り去る二十四日夜、[illegible]された。さて古川議長司會、信岡委員長の挨拶、つゞいて卜市市協代表井口幹事の挨拶があり、次いで會務、會計報告を承認、難民救済及び圖書部の會計報告も行われた。當日の主なる議事は次の通り可決されたが質問應答、役員選出方法等についても活潑なる意見の交換が行われた。

△三尾村カナダ連絡協會に對する感謝決議と感謝状を満場一致可決――日系人呼寄せに率先、よくその目的をつくした同會オンタリオ支部の總會（二十五日行われた）に一世部代表者信岡、信夫、古川三氏が出席して手渡した。

△ト市々協に「日本の夕」のラヂオ放送を進言することを可決――主旨に賛同、更に具体案を考究の上、市協に提出、その實現化に協力すること。

△新しく入國した人々との融和を計ることに留意する

最近、日本から渡加した日系人に市協入會をすゝめると共にカナダ生活にアジャストするよう温い手をさしのべ、新入國者との融和を緊密にすること。

執行委員當選氏名

ト市々協一世部では執行委員候補者百四十名をリストした投票紙を全市内一世市協メンバーに郵送、去る二十五日開票の結果、次の順位で三十名が當選した。

森岡徳衛　梅月高市　信夫三郎　岩崎與理吉　田中時一　佐々木周一　神野專　花月榮吉　信岡良太郎　角利願　川尻岩一　中井幸平　内田一作　門永友次郎　土井初　近藤傳作　新善太郎　池田照子　森俊三　古川忠三　岡崎清助　神田良雄　大西乙吉　成石吉郎　河部友喜　川崎清滿　竹中徳二郎　平廣治　隅本正信　坂本忠義

右の委員は二十八日（木）夜盛岡幹事宅に會合して各部からの委員を擧げ、其の上で幹部を互選する。

意義ある事業

三尾カナダ會へ感謝文

トロント市協一世部總會より三尾村カナダ連絡會に送つた感謝決議文は次の通り

日本からの移民に關しては日系市民協會が種々努力を續けているが、現在のところでは未だ新しい移民入國の道は開けて居らず、主として、カナダ生れの二世にして日本にある者及び曾つてカナダに居住していたことのある人々の再入國にとどまつている。しかし、これらの再入國者も、カナダ側の父子關係其他親戚などが、旅費、就職口など一切の世話をして呼寄せてやるのでなければ再入國出來ない有樣である。

一九五一年一月二十一日、トロント市に於て開催された三尾村出身者の會合は、三尾村カナダ連絡協會オンタリオ支部を組織して、故郷、三尾村にいる二世と歸化人のカナダ再入國を促進する運動を起し、仕事口と旅費と再入國手續の援助斡旋に乗り出した。此の運動は短期間に實を結んで、既に故郷、三尾村に於ける離村可能の再入國資格者を悉く呼寄せ、所期の目的を達成したのであるが、同協會支部では更に進んで他府縣よりの再入國希望者にも援助斡旋の手を差しのべ、最も適當なる雇主と交渉して、呼寄せ援助の仕事を續けている。

これは誠に意義ある事業であり、吾々は、三尾村カナダ連絡協會オンタリオ支部役員一同の努力に對し深き感謝の意を表明し、今後とも此のよき仕事を續けられるように切望するものである。

一九五三年一月二十四日

日系カナダ市民協會

トロント支部一世部定期總會

新會長は井手エデー氏

餘興が面白かつたト市々協總會

トロント市協の定期總會は一月二十五日夜リジョンホールに於て山本勇造氏司會の下に開かれ、掘會長の挨拶、井口幹事と平城會計の報告があつてから執行委員二十七名を決定（まだ追加し一世側からも加える筈）會長選擧では茅原井手、任矢、森田四候補が擧げられて選擧した結果井手エデー氏が當選した。エンタテーメントでは岩下英子さんとギスレーンさんの獨唱、井手エデー氏のピアノ、高田豊秋氏の説明で一九三三年から五三年までのヒット・ソング演奏戸栗デーヴ氏、バレー、山田フランク氏のシミー・ポエランデー、スパイク・ジョーンスなどのマネ演技があつたが山田氏の技には一同腹をかゝえて笑つた。幹事の報告では過去一ケ年間に於ける委員等の努力のあとがうかゞわれ新年度において早速着手しなければならぬ色々のプログラムが示されたが、會計報告によると昨年度の總收入一八、五五〇弗二九仙、支出五、四二九弗五七仙で一月二十五日現在のバンク・バランスは三、一二〇弗七二仙

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日系人の再入國促進へ關心
メーヒュー大使が日本政府と善處策考究と傳う

戰前又は戰後に日本に歸つた多くのカナダ生れの日系人又は歸化人は、何んとかしてカナダに歸りたいと熱望しているのであるが、いまのところその望みは大きく閉止されているが、今回、駐日初代大使に任命されたメーヒュー氏の最關心事はこれらの人々のカナダ再入國に關してであると次のような明るいニュースが傳えられている

年に二百名内外か

新任駐日メーヒュー大使の主なる關心事の一つに、約一万の日本人をカナダと日本兩國がお滿足的に再定住させる方策を見出すことである。これらの日本人はいわゆるカナダ生れの日系人が主であり、戰前日本に行つた者もあるが、多くは戰後自發的に日本に渡つたもので彼等の大多數が生れた國に歸りたいと希望している。カナダ政府は約一万名に達するこれらの人々が出來るだけ速かにカナダに歸りたい旨の通告をうけているが、假りに支那系人の再入國者の年額割當と同數の歸國者を日本人に許すとしても、この全部が歸るには數年を要するわけである。年に二百名以上を入國させることは勞働、商業および政治グループの各方面から相當反對が起るかも知れない。そこでその反對も起きず、しかも日加雙方に圓滿的な計畫を編み出すことがメーヒュー大使の仕事の一つでもある

おもつと同時に同大使は、戰前西部沿岸で見られたような日系人の集團生活の復活をさけたいということも欲している

全加市協語る

右の報道につき全加市協の田中幹事は次の通り語つた
「一万名の日系人が日本にいるとは思わない。たとえ一世や二世を合しても然んな數字に達することはないであろう。全加市協としてはまず第一にカナダにいる日系人の親、子供および近親者又はごく親しい人達の呼寄せに大きな關心を持つており、移民に關する問題は日加兩國間になんらかの話合いがあろう。市協として在住日系人の感情的な觀點におかれたいくたの問題處理に最善をつくす努力をつづけている」

皇太子の外遊費 約三十万八千弗

オタワの日本大使館では皇太子殿下の御旅程につき連日計畫研究が續けられているが、いずれ近日中に結果を發表することになつている。なお皇太子の外遊旅費は約三十万八千弗と見積られている

米機、北海道を警戒
恐れてソ連機は姿を見せず

【北部日本、米空軍基地發】朝鮮戰争でソ連のミッグ戰闘機と空中戰で戰果をあげた米空軍サブレ・ジェット戰闘機隊は北海道上空を去る十二月十五日以來哨戒中であることが先週末發表されたが、米空軍ジェット機が北海道に派遣されて以來、ソ連機は度々北海道を侵犯していたことであるが、最近ソ連機が姿を見せず[illegible]である

謎の出火 カナダ客船燒く

【英國リバプール發】ジービー「エンプレス・オブ・カナダ」號は二十六日當港埠頭で原因不明の出火のため八時間も燃え續けたのち轉覆した。損害九百六十万弗と見積られる。出火原因は知れないといわれるが、一説にはサボタージされたのが出火原因だという。

日系人にもおなじみのこの"エンプレス・オブ・カナダ"號は戰時中徴發されたもので、今回[illegible]名前だけ[illegible]大西洋通いの二万噸客船である。同船は戴冠式に渡英する船客を迎えるためリバープール港で改裝、修繕中であつたもので、火事のため多くの船室豫約者は渡英できなくなるかも[illegible]

日本テレビ 二月一日に開始

【東京發】日本ではテレビジョン本格放送をいよいよ二月一日より華やかにスタートする。二年前からテスト放送を續けているNHK[illegible]二月一日から本格放送は間違いないと見ている。[illegible]現在のテスト[illegible]トーキョー放送を四月迄に十キロに擴張するので現在のキャッチ範圍は東京の[illegible]範圍は見れる

中共を全く封鎖
米艦待命 朝鮮の地上作戰と呼應斷行か

【横須賀發】米極東艦隊司令官ロバート・ブリスコー海軍中將は廿五日「米國海軍はアイゼンハワー大統領の命令一下速かに百パーセント有効な中共海上封鎖を斷行する準備がある」と聲明を發表した

【京城發】近く退役する米第八軍司令官バンフリート中將は廿日曜の記者團會見で「最高司令部が現在の戰線を保持するだけならば、ここ一年以内に南鮮軍は誰かの手助けをうけずに全戰線を保つことが出來るだろう。しかし、誰もそうしたいと思う者はなかろう」と語つたバン・フリート中將の後任に第二大戰で勇名を馳せたパラシュート部隊長テイラー中將が選ばれたことはアイゼンハワー大統領の指令一つで朝鮮でも近く大規模な作戰に出るのではないかと見られる

ウ國防相を承認

【ワシントン發】アイゼンハワー政府の國防相に起用されたウイルソン氏は二百五十万弗價格のジー・エム持株を全部賣拂うという約束をしたので上院軍事委員會は先週も同氏の國防相指名を満場一致で承認、今週上院で正式承認を見ることになる

日本パトロール艇に三インチ砲

【東京發】中共、ソ連から日本漁船が度々不法拿捕されるに業を煮[illegible]二大パトロール艇に三インチ砲裝を米國に交渉中であるがこれを備えつけ警告的に發砲するというのである

「息子を歸らせて下さい」
薄給の父親が日本から切實の願い

トロントに在住しているはずの二世、窪田加奈男氏を日本大使館ではさがしているが、まだ何等の手掛りもないところ、今回同氏の件につき大要次の如き文面の手紙が大使館から本社へ送られてきた

△窪田加奈男の實父賢三は至急本人を日本に引取りたい意向であるが、賢三も製箸作り女婿の鈴木勇二も薄給生活者であるため加奈男のバンクーバー・横濱間最低船賃三二〇弗を支出することは不可能で、やつとその半額程度は何んとか調達できる

△そこで引取るには不足の旅費の工面がつかないので、トロント市在住の日系人有志又は市協あたりから不足旅費を補つて貰うわけにはいかないだろうかという意味を外務省に賢三の女婿鈴木が出頭して苦境を述べたので、外務省から當大使館を通じ、市協にこの旨傳えてほしいとの依頼をうけた

二千年前のハス ドイツ展へ出品

【千葉發】一昨年春、千葉縣檢見川町の古代遺跡で發見された二千年前のハス[illegible]「ハスの開士」大賀[illegible]教授[illegible]努力[illegible]昨年七月に花が咲[illegible]

はなし

[illegible]

日本雑誌で勉強したい

アルバータの青人[illegible]

[illegible]戰前[illegible]日本雑誌の[illegible]下さい。私は青年時代、[illegible]

Junior Race Close As Leaders Win

TORONTO — The top-running Mustang Juniors held on to their first-place lead while Club Rhapsody kept in contention for the league laurels, both marking up wins in last week's Nisei Basketball League skirmishes. Whiz Kids and Rebels, the two also-rans to the unstoppable Mustangs in the senior section, battled it out with the former chalking up a well-earned victory.

Mustangs Juniors eked out a [illegible] win over Barons. High scoring forward Henry Edamura [illegible] 18 points for the winners [illegible] Dick Aoki was Barons' [illegible] with 10.

Club Rhapsody registered their [illegible] of the season as they [illegible] Orphans 46-31. A win [illegible] Mustangs in their [illegible] would put Rhapsody [illegible] for the League [illegible] loss would hand Mustangs [illegible] championship.

[illegible] Hayakawa caught fire in the [illegible] and hooped 17 pts. [illegible] a total of 19 for the night. His set shots were deadly and his jump shots equally effective. [illegible] Adachi added 12 points for Rhapsody before fouling out in the 2nd half and Sho Mori [illegible] 10 points, Orphans' best was little Geo. Kanda's [illegible].

Led by Aki Hayashi, Whiz Kids gained their first [illegible] 59-46, over Rebels. It was a decisive victory for the Kids [illegible] their arch rivals [illegible] their fast breaking [illegible] advantage over their [illegible] ponents.

At half time Whiz Kids led 20-18 and added [illegible] in the final half. Fouls were [illegible] as both were assessed 17 fouls each. Seiji Takata and Ron Kitasaki both fouled out in the 2nd quarter.

Whiz Kids' ace pivot Aki Hayashi was the game's outstanding star as he came through with a fine two-way performance. Hayashi garnered 21 points and completed 10 foul shots out of 10 awarded him. Close to him in effectiveness was Yuki Kameoka, Whiz Kids' ace guard, who pumped in 17 and directed the Whiz Kids' attack. Though bottled up most of the game by Aki Hayashi, speedy Paul Hirano nevertheless came through with 14 pts. Tom Miyashita also played a fine game for Rebs and netted 9. Mush Fukumoto will probably have his charges out concentrating shots from the foul strip as the Rebs were only able to hoop [illegible] of 21 attempts. (Mossy Mitsui, any comments?)

Whiz Kids: A. Hayashi 21, Y. Kameoka 17, S. Takata 7, S. Tsukamoto 6, J. Iwama 3, F. Ide, Inouye 3, F. Miyasaki. — 59.

Rebels: P. Hirano 14, T. Miyashita 9, T. Hayakawa 6, M. Fukumoto 6, R. Kitasaki 4, M. Mitsui 4, R. Kurita 2, J. Onishi 1. — 46.

Games for Friday, Jan. 30 are: Orphans vs Club Rhapsody [illegible], 7 p.m. Hamilton vs Orphans (Junior), 8 p.m. Mustangs vs Whiz Kids (senior), 9 p.m. [illegible] vs Barons (Junior), 10 [illegible].

Mustangs Playing At Niagara Falls

Mustangs [illegible] the Niagara Falls [illegible] on Jan. 31 to tangle with the Niagara Falls Jolleys [illegible]

[illegible] to the [illegible] as preparing for [illegible] the [illegible] are warming up for the [illegible] and District playoffs [illegible] Jolleys [illegible] to play [illegible] Tillsonburg [illegible] recently.

Game is being played at Stamford Collegiate gym at 8:30 p.m.

CLUB AMI BOWLING

The Club Ami Bowling League will resume its activities on Sat., Jan. 31. All bowlers are requested to be present at the Olympic Edward Alleys at 8 p.m.

Isoshima Scores Best Keg Marks

Yamada Studio, El Mo[illegible] and Monarchs were last week's [illegible] winners in the Toronto Nisei [illegible] by taking 7-0 [illegible]. Their victims were [illegible] Uyeda [illegible] and [illegible] Karm.

[illegible] Edward Alexander [illegible] Stadium [illegible] Pu Rite and [illegible] 8 in [illegible] Kingsway [illegible] was [illegible] by Lewis [illegible] Bruno.

Mas Isoshima's [illegible] was [illegible] Yamada [illegible] which his best game [illegible] to take Joe Takata's 24[illegible] for the top single.

Other better scores were: J. T[illegible] Mas. S. Tsuzuki [illegible] K. Shiraishi [illegible] Tanaka 783, B. Ogaki 772, T. Nishimura [illegible], G. Nishimura 752, G. Fukushima [illegible] Nakamura 771, G. Nakayama 72[illegible] Hayashi [illegible] 710, B. Tsuruda 71[illegible] K. Nagasaka 7[illegible] M. Mori [illegible] S. [illegible]

Nisei All-Stars Drop Overtime Test to Chinese Team In First Basketball Tilt On West Coast

By Staff Writer

VANCOUVER, B.C. — In the [illegible] basketball game played by Niseis on the Pacific Coast this season, the Nisei All-Stars dropped a close overtime [illegible] exhibition tilt on Jan. 17 at the Kitsilano Community gym to the W. K. Garden, a Chinese Canadian team.

The All-Stars' hustling Yoshi[illegible] Saito missed a glorious chance to win the game for the Nisei. Being fouled in the last second of play, Saito was awarded two free shots after the final whistle but, with the pressure upon him, he failed on both attempts, thus letting the game go into overtime.

Stars of the game for the Nisei were ex-Vernonite Michitaka Ta[illegible], Kaname Oye and Saito.

For the second straight season the Nisei Basketball League in Vancouver failed to materialize because of lack of players and proper playing times. The All-Stars were whipped up from a group of enthusiasts to meet the W. K. Garden team, therefore lack of conditioning and practice were the main factors in the Nisei downfall.

Vanc. Nips Steveston In Basketball Tilt

VANCOUVER — In a [illegible] and [illegible] affair Vancouver Tea[illegible] [illegible] Steveston Tea[illegible] with a slim margin of [illegible] [illegible] on Jan. 1[illegible] [illegible] United Church gym. Top scorers were Mits Nakano of Steveston with 18 points and Ken [illegible] for Vancouver with 14 pts. — G. I.

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Mas . . . by J. NAKAMOTO

"The life of an Eskimo? It's more like a dog's life to me".

Married Couples Study More Christian Home

The Toronto Nisei Married Couples Group elected its new executive recently with the Sasaki's, Fred and Naka, being chosen as presidents for 1953.

Filling out the rest of the slate are the Ito's, Dick and Kay, vice president; George and Kaz Umemoto, secretary; Tom and Mary Nobuoka, treasurer; Ray and Kaz Sakaguchi, publicity; Kim Takahashi, membership; Michi and June Ashikawa, Tsutomu and Margaret Fujita, social.

The Married Couples are planning on a course of studies on their personal and daily life which would make their homes more Christian. This course will be studied by the members and discussed at regular meetings.

Personal Notes Across Canada

MARRIAGES

KAMEZAWA — NAKAGAWA

VANCOUVER—The marriage took place of Kimiye, daughter of Mrs. Shio Nakagawa, to Saizuo Kamezawa, son of Mr. Tetsuzo Kamezawa, both of Vancouver, on Jan. 17 at First United Church. Rev. McWilliams officiated.

The couple went to Portland, Oregon, for their honeymoon.

KOYANAGI — MISHIMA

TABER, Alta. — The marriage of Koto, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Mishima of Taber, Alta., to Keiichi Koyanagi, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Koyanagi of Vancouver, B. C., took place at Taber Buddhist Church on Dec. 21, 1952. Rev. Y. Kawamura officiated.

Baishakunins were Mr. and Mrs. M. Kamitakahara.

ENGAGEMENTS

TABER, Alta. — The engagement of Margaret Michiko, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kaushiro Ohashi of Taber, Alta., to Kuniyoshi Sameshima of Lethbridge, Alta., son of Mrs. Fujiye Sameshima, was announced at a party on Jan. 10 at the home of the Ohashi's.

Baishakunins are Mr. and Mrs. Ryutaro Nakagama of Lethbridge.

STEVESTON, B. C. — The engagement was announced of Setsuko, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Mizuguchi, and Yoichi Kishi, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. K. Kishi, on Jan. 18 at the home of the Mizuguchi's.

Baishakunins are Mr. and Mrs. T. Doi.

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LETHBRIDGE, Alta. — The engagement was announced of Kumiko, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Keiji Yamanouchi of Picture Butte, Alta. to Kenji Tateba, fourth son of Mrs. Chiye Tateba of Lethbridge, Alta., on Jan. 18 at a party at Lotus Inn.

Baishakunins are Mr. and Mrs. T. Eikashira and Mr. and Mrs. S. Aoki.

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MONTREAL. Mr. and Mrs. Kanejiro Kawai announce the engagement of their daughter, June Teruko, to Mr. Toyokazu Frank Ebata, son of Mr. and Mrs. Yosaichi Ebata, both of Montreal.

BIRTHS

TORONTO — Born to Mr. and Mrs. M. Otsu (nee Miki Ohashi) on Jan. 15 at St. Michael's Hospital, a daughter, Catherine Sanae.

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GREENWOOD, B. C. — Born to Dr. and Mrs. John Yoshioka on Jan. 3 at Grand Forks Hospital, a daughter, Patricia Dawn Hisako.

Kent Plans Shibai, M. Kayahara Prexy

CHATHAM, Ont. — Elected as president of the Kent JCCA executive for 1953 was Murray Kayahara, and as its first big project, the local chapter is presenting a Shibai on March 7 featuring both Issei and Nisei talent.

Included in the shibai will be odoris, plays and instrumental numbers and the chapter is hoping that more Issei talent will be displayed. The welcome mat is spread to all persons from neighbouring counties and elsewhere who are interested in attending concerts of this type. Donations will be appreciated.

The affair will be presented at the Chatham YMCA at 8 p.m.

Other officers in the executive include Aki Fujii, vice president; Florence Yamamoto, recording sec'y; May Seki, corr. sec'y; Ken Nishiyama, treasurer; Frank Okubo, programme chairman; Sets Fujii, house chairman, Patsy Baba and Sam Nishiyama, welfare. — M. S.

Vancouver YBA Sets Gen. Meeting Feb. 8

VANCOUVER, B. C. — The Vancouver Young Buddhist Association will hold a general meeting on Sunday, Feb. 8, from 2 p.m. at Hastings Auditorium.

All persons interested are requested to attend. Prospective members are asked to contact Minoru Tanaka or Chieko Tanaka, membership convenors.

CounterPOINT

By KEN ADACHI

On Crew Cuts

I've been duly informed by several feminine acquaintances that crew cuts have an undeniable sex appeal. They love to run their little fingers through what at best looks like an unglorified but freshly mown lawn. It makes them feel soft inside.

"It gives you that neat, clean-cut, young and eager look", they tell me.

Harkening back a couple of years to the days when I used to sport a crew cut, I cannot recollect a single instance where screaming, wild-eyed women, let alone one, came flocking to run their hands through my hair. Those were terribly lean and hungry days.

What I can best remember was the painful process of growing back my long locks, a melancholy period where all sense of dignity and poise was lost. There is nothing more downright and nakedly unsightly than a crew cut which is on the verge of reverting to its natural growth. It is discouraging and sapping to the morale, to say the least, to feel that people are continually tittering about it. It is as if you were suddenly surprised in your underwear.

Not that I have anything against other people cutting their hair and looking clean-cut and youthful, if they can attain that effect. Some of my best friends wear crew cuts, therefore, I have learned to become tolerant. And although I cannot truthfully say that it adds to their appearance, I must admit that a great temptation to run my fingers through their hair does almost overwhelm me on occasion.

Hair may be some women's crowning glory but when once a man acquires a crew cut, he is not allowed to live it down for quite some time. He immediately becomes the butt of countless nasty jokes and he is reduced to a cringing spectacle and the tirade does not abate until all and sundry become weary of pointing attention to it and look for something else to talk about.

I honestly do not see the advantage of crew cuts. Actually they require more grooming and you cannot even allow it to relapse into a momentary state of mild disrepair. With the longer version, you can at least pretend to bohemianism but not so the crew cut. Obviously crew cuts are not for those of a lethargic nature who do not wish to expend any effort on the thing. As in the aforementioned lawn, it must be constantly clipped.

Samson once had his locks shorn by a scheming [illegible] by the name of Delilah and [illegible] after lost his power and [illegible]. Modern-day women, no less cunning, might think that it would be nice to have a bright-eyed [illegible] looking thing bouncing along [illegible] side, to feel superior over and [illegible] pat patronizingly on the [illegible] once in a while.

I'm afraid I will have to [illegible] without the neat and [illegible] look. It's too much of a price to pay. Anyways it's kind of nice to feel smug about something.

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